

BRAINERD PUBLIC LISTEN TO LIBERTY DAY ADDRESS

BLOCKING LIBERTY LOAN IS DANGEROUS

Anybody Discouraging Sale of Liberty Bonds or Making Disloyal Statements to be Reported

Mining Companies Swell Total at Crosby---Boy Scouts to Front in Brainerd---Daily Bond Report

Some Brainerd people in their ardor in boosting other matters have spoken slightly of the Liberty bonds. Any one opposing the sale of Liberty bonds, discouraging people from buying them, urging people not to buy and to do something else with their money, can be brought to earth with a sharp twist by being reported to the federal authorities.

At Minneapolis the arrest was made of F. J. Schwalen, president and cashier of the Triumph State bank of Triumph, Martin county, Minnesota, because of alleged disloyalty in connection with the Liberty loan.

Chairman A. R. Rogers, of the ninth district liberty loan executive committee, made no comment on the Schwalen case, but said it was true that a number had opposed the loan and no surprise need be occasioned if more arrests follow.

To the Crow Wing County Safety Commission of which R. R. Wise is director may be reported all disloyal references to the Liberty bonds.

Mining Companies Buy Bonds

Crosby, Oct. 25.—The first Liberty loan campaign is a drop in the bucket compared with the second one which is being carried on this week in this city. The apportionment of Crow Wing county is \$350,000, and of this amount Crosby will come through with nearly one-third, or about \$100,000. It is likely that more than that sum will be raised. County Chairman Hayes is jubilant over the good showing. Residents have purchased bonds liberally, although in the smaller denominations, and for a time it looked as if the apportionment would not be realized. This was overcome Monday when Charles A. Stillman, president of the Rogers-Brown Ore company negotiated for the purchase of \$25,000 bonds for the company and \$2,000 for himself. The subscriptions will be divided between this city and Cuyuna as the company has mines at both places. On top of this came the announcement that the Inland Steel company had taken \$50,000. It is expected that other mining companies here will make local purchases.

Brainerd's Total Today

Liberty bond sales in Brainerd totaled \$89,550 at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

To Fargo to Buy Bond

Sam Rosenzweig made a special trip to Fargo, N. D., from Brainerd to buy a United States bond.

"If you can't join the United States army, give your money to the government."

This is Sam's logic. He is a former bellhop of the Annex hotel, Fargo, and is now employed at the Ransford hotel in Brainerd.

"They wouldn't have me in the United States army," said Sam, who is a short fellow. "Anyway I am going to help Uncle Sam win the war with dollars."

Sam registered in Cass county, N. D., and shortly afterwards took out a \$50 Liberty bond. He then left Fargo. No one knew his address or whereabouts. Fate ruled that he should be drawn in the first contingent from Cass county. Notices failed to reach him and he was listed as a "deserter."

"That was the cruellest blow I ever

received," said Sam. "And all the time I held a Liberty loan bond."

The trip cost Sam exactly \$6.58, the interest on his new bond for over three years.

Boy Scouts Liberty Bonds

The work of the Boy Scouts of Brainerd in the Liberty bond campaign is attracting attention. The \$15,200 mark was passed at noon on Thursday.

James Mahlum, Harry Wolvert and Robert Hargrove have each sold ten bonds to ten different families. National headquarters have extended the Boy Scout campaign to October 27.

They were out in force at the Liberty Day program in the opera house. Twenty-two were in line with Albert Baeken as captain and Reine Hukari as color bearer. All were in Scout khaki uniform and marched with the erect form of drilled soldiers. E. W. Schmit, their scoutmaster, who was unavoidably absent, has certainly accomplished much with the fine body of boys.

First Ward Meeting

Liberty bond salesmen of the first ward will meet Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the city hall for the windup of the campaign. Aldermen Fremont Turcotte and W. J. Lyons will preside.

Brainerd Model Laundry

The Brainerd Model Laundry bought \$500 Liberty bonds today.

Indications are Liberty Loan Passed \$3,500,000,000

(By United Press)

Washington, Oct. 25.—All indications at noon were that the Liberty loan had passed the \$3,500,000,000 mark and reports to the treasury department show that the entire nation is aroused to the highest pitch of patriotism and if the same spirit continues the five billion goal will be reached by Saturday night.

Civilians Leave Flanders Town British Objective

(By United Press)

Amsterdam, Oct. 25.—Civilians are reported as evacuating Menin, Flanders, dispatches received here state. The town is one of the objectives of the British drive.

Letters on Prisoners Show Disease Ravages

(By United Press)

With the French armies, Oct. 25.—Thousands of letters taken from prisoners at Verdun describe in harrowing terms the ravages of dysentery, cholera and typhus throughout Germany. Over half the letters contained reference to the spread of dysentery caused by improper or insufficient food.

GEORG MICHAELIS.

German Chancellor resigns under fire according to report.



A wireless press message received from Amsterdam asserts that Chancellor Michaelis has placed his portfolio in the Kaiser's hands. The story was not confirmed from any other sources.

Decisive Battle Bainsizza Plateau is Being Fought

(By United Press)

Washington, Oct. 25.—One of the decisive battles of the war apparently being fought on Bainsizza Plateau where the Austrians with 20 divisions containing many German contingents are on the offensive. Gen. Cadorna, the Italian commander, with reinforcements of French and British troops is prepared to hold the Italian positions at all costs, official Rome cables report.

Evacuation of Main Fortress at Kronstadt

(By United Press)

Petrograd, Oct. 25.—The civilian evacuation of the Kronstadt main fortress guarding Petrograd has begun, is the information conveyed in an official statement. This is evidently in anticipation of the German naval drive toward Petrograd. The fortress is 20 miles west of the capital and is regarded as a fortress of the first rank.

Before an audience which packed the Brainerd opera house, Dr. Charles Wesley Burns, of Minneapolis, famous Methodist pulpit orator, delivered a Liberty Day address which glowed with patriotism and which stirred his hearers to the greatest enthusiasm.

As the curtain of the stage slowly ascended a huge flag flashed to view and the Brainerd City band played the "Star Spangled Banner." The opera house glowed in patriotic colors.

The invocation was delivered by Rev. F. W. Hill, pastor of the First Methodist church. The band played a selection. S. F. Alderman sang "The Battle Cry of Freedom," and hearty applause necessitated his singing an encore.

Mayor R. A. Beise made the introductory remarks and introduced the speaker of the evening in well chosen words.

Dr. Burns mentioned the invitation received from George D. LaBar to speak in Brainerd, seconded by Joseph Chapman.

If there ever was a time in the history of the world when all the power and strength of democracies was summoned to the front, it was now. If there ever was an hour when democracies and republics should battle for their very existence, it was now.

Prussianism unchecked, he said, would beat down every democracy and every republic. In graphic language he traced the motive springs which caused the march of the race. There was first the aristocracy of the cave men where might ruled. The aristocrat of the cave men was he who by his mighty arm achieved the most possessions and held them by brute force.

Following came the aristocracy of goods and possessions, then of descent, which latter brought in its train much cruelty. "God," said the speaker, "had chosen the weak to confound the mighty." In a crisis God never went to the throne for a saviour, he went to the cross roads, to the little hut in the hills, for the man.

Came then the aristocracy of brains with its bloody wars when craft and cunning pitted behind the throne moved men and armies like puppets and feudalism flourished. All was done for the king.

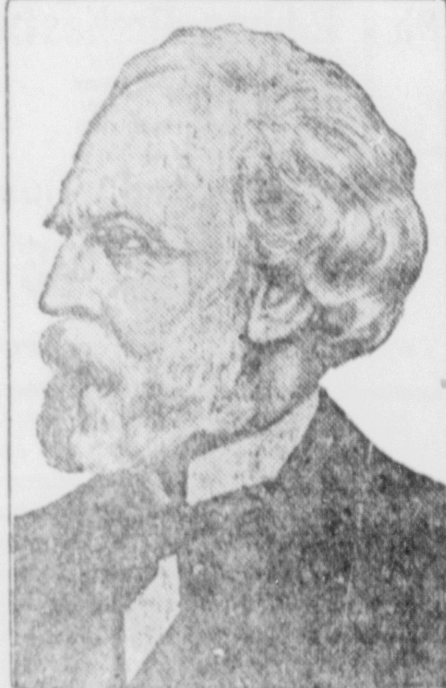
Limited monarchies, constitutional monarchies followed. Then came the autocracy of character. Character of itself was colorless unless linked to humanity.

Humanity took its place in the ideals of men, and now democracy and the power of the people were on trial.

In graphic language he traced Abraham Lincoln's boyhood surroundings, the sordid father and the (Continued on page 4)

ALEXANDER RIBOT.

French foreign minister to tell senate why he resigned post.



President Poincare of France has signed decrees naming Louis Barthou as minister of foreign affairs, replacing Alexander Ribot. It is understood among members of the parliament that M. Ribot will take an early opportunity to explain to the senate his reasons for leaving the foreign ministry.

May Seize Property of Enemy Subject in United States

Washington, Oct. 25.—All holdings of the subjects of Bulgaria, Turkey and Austria in the United States may be seized together with the property of the subjects of Germany, American Property Custodian Palmer announces.

The decision regards Bulgaria, Turkey and Austria as alien enemies although the United States never formally declared war against these German allies. The ruling follows a conference with the treasury officials. These countries have vast stores of war supplies and the dividends from the investments will be invested in future liberty bonds.

French Bring Down 25 Enemy Airplanes

(By United Press)

Paris, Oct. 25.—25 enemy airplanes were brought down by the French on Wednesday, says an official message. Nancy was the object of another German air raid but there were no victims.

RAILWAY EMPLOYEES LODGE TO AID FUND

Brotherhood of All Railway Employees Give Benefit Dance for Camp Dodge Men Nov. 2

At Gardner Auditorium, Imperial Orchestra to Play, Will Help Thanksgiving Day Spread in the Camp

Why English Consumers Buy Bread Cheaper

(By United Press)

Washington, Oct. 25.—The English consumers buy bread made from American wheat at nearly half price the Americans pay here because a British government subsidy keeps the price of bread down and also because the English bread is only 85 per cent pure as compared with the American product.

No American food product is being sold as cheaply in England as in America unless under a government subsidy, this explanation being made by the food administration. Retailers charging high prices are being flayed by the food administration.

England will Never Make a Separate Peace

(By United Press)

London, Oct. 25.—England will never make separate peace at the expense of Russia or Rumania, Lord Cecil told the house of commons.

Germans Repulsed when Attempting to Land Troops

Petrograd, Oct. 25.—German attempts to land troops at Tomba, south of Werby, were repulsed, is the new of an official report.

Berlin Says That 10,000 Prisoners Were Captured

(By United Press)

Berlin, Oct. 25.—Ten thousand prisoners were captured in the Italian drive, is an official telegram, including brigade and division staff of Italians.

Austro-German Troops Break Italian Lines

(By United Press)

Rome, Oct. 25.—Austro-German troops broke through the Italian lines to the left of Isonzo, is an official report. On the western slope at Mont San Gabriel the enemy were checked in attacking on the 18-mile front.

President Mine Workers Resign

(By United Press)

Indianapolis, Oct. 25.—President White of the United Mine Workers of America has resigned.

The Brotherhood of All Railway Employees will give a benefit dance Friday evening, November 2, at Gardner auditorium, for the Crow Wing county boys at Camp Dodge.

The Imperial orchestra will play. The proceeds will help swell the fund for the soldiers at Camp Dodge and get there in time to provide extra delicacies for Thanksgiving day.

Dancing commences at 9 o'clock sharp. Tickets will be 75c each, ladies free.

Thomas Edison on High Seas Experimenting

(By United Press)

Orange, N. J., Oct. 25.—Thomas Edison, inventor, has spent the last ten weeks on the high seas striving to perfect some means of defeating submarines, his laboratories announce. He is now back in America with the results of his studies and experiments.

Mr. Edison is working out with naval experts several different anti-submarine experiments perfected in recent off shore trips. While the devices are official secrets they are admitted to be promising.

Kaiser Not Yet Made Selection Chancellorship

(By United Press)

Berlin, Oct. 25.—The Kaiser has not yet made his decision as to the chancellorship, and is said to be considering the situation in detail. One newspaper asserts that Chancellor Michaelis does not regard his resignation as required by present conditions.

27 Convicted

(By United Press)

St. Louis, Oct. 25.—Twenty-seven Germans were convicted of anti-draft activity and released on bond pending a hearing for a new trial. None were sentenced.

KAISER IS READY FOR PEACE

Only Wants Assurance of Safety of Frontiers, Says Hertling.

Amsterdam, Oct. 25.—Count von Hertling, the Bavarian premier, speaking in the chamber, declared that after Germany's existence, the safety of her frontiers and her free and peaceful development are guaranteed, "we are ready for peace."

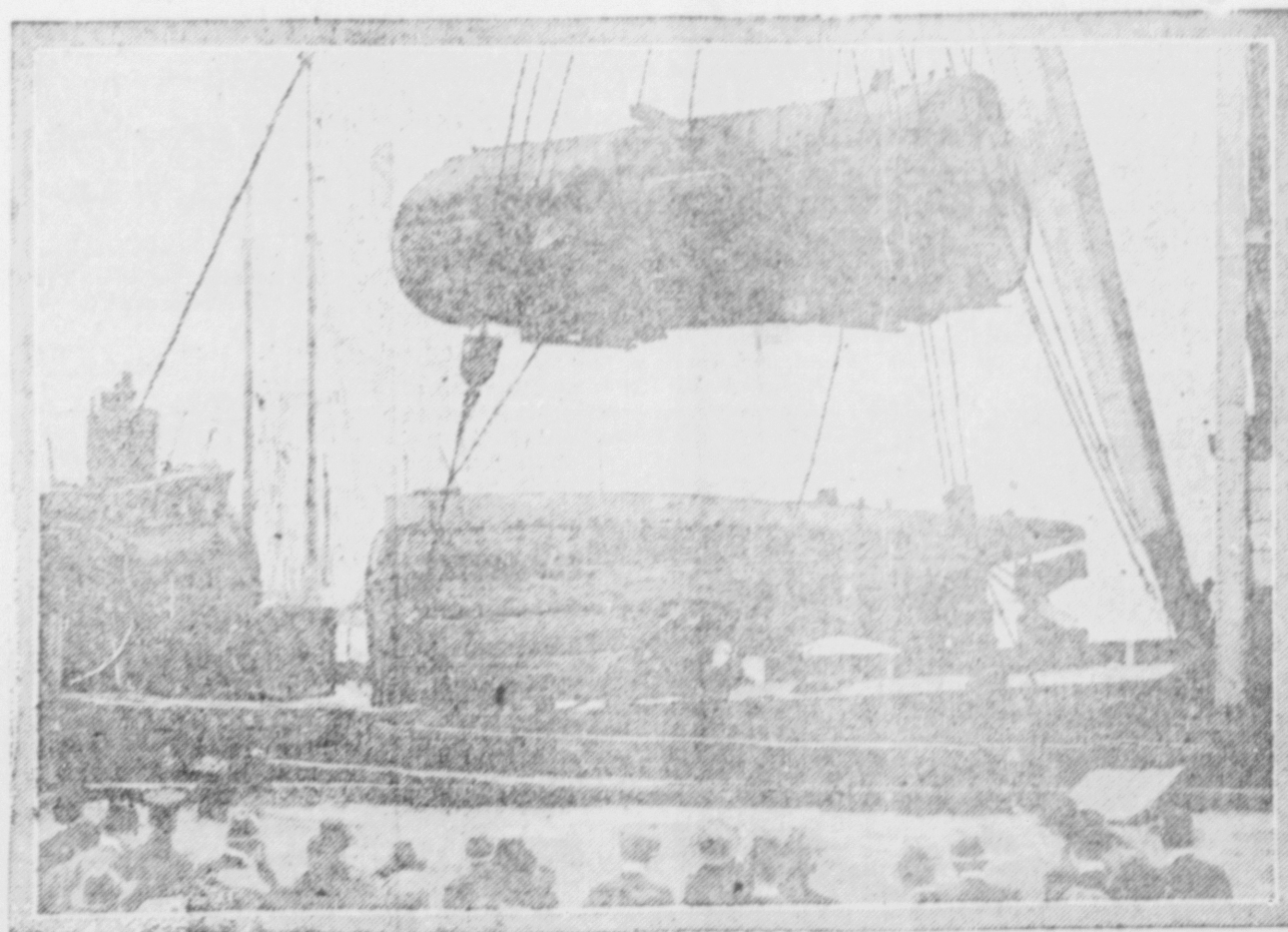
He added: "If the Entente won with American help, America would step into England's place. America against Europe—this is gradually becoming the character of the war through the Entente's fault."

LUMBER STEAMER IS RAMMED

Sunk With Million Feet of Pine in Collision With Jap Ship.

An Atlantic Port, Oct. 25.—A Japanese steamship, laden with munitions, rammed and sank the 1,300-ton lumber steamer Katahdin here. The cook of the sunken vessel is missing. The Katahdin had a cargo of 1,000,000 feet of southern pine. The Japanese steamer had its bow stove in.

German Submarine Being Lifted Into the United States



This German submarine, U-5, captured by the British many months ago, was transported to the United States to be placed in Central Park, New York City, as part of the Liberty Loan campaign. The photograph shows the vessel in three sections being lifted from a steamer to the pier.

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DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

THE WEATHER
Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:
Rising temperature, showers probable.
Co-operative observer's record.
6:30 P. M.—
Oct. 24, maximum 41, minimum 24. Snow precipitation in moisture, .01 inches.
Oct. 25, minimum for night, 33.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visitors, Visits, Deaths, Accidents, Etc., gratefully received by the Dispatch. Telephone Northwest 74.

For real estate see Nettleton. Alex Swanson of Altin was in the city.
Nettleton sells tall pines cheap. 1211f

Carl Zapffe went to Duluth this afternoon.
Hemstitching and picot, Mrs. E. J. McMahon, Slipp Bldg. 12216p

M. D. Folsom went to Deerwood this afternoon.
For Spring Water phone 254. Alex Nelson, contractor of Perham, is in the city.

Trays, art candle sticks, nut bowls, and fruit bowls at D. E. Whitney's. 1051f

Frank Oberg of Minneapolis was in Brainerd today.

Men's mackinaws in plentiful supply and good selections at H. W. Linnemann's. 12213

Henry H. Hill of Pine River was in the city on business.

Nettleton's "Liberty lots" furnish fuel. 1171f

Miss Lydia Peterson is visiting friends and relatives in Lenox.

Brass and silver photo frames, all sizes and at prices to suit you at D. E. Whitney's. 1051f

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sellers of Minneapolis were in Brainerd today.

Butcher's Floor Wax, a complete line. D. M. Clark & Co. 1141f

F. X. Beaver of St. Cloud, district manager of the Prudential Co., was in the city.

Crystal Spring water, \$1.00 month. L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

Mrs. Gilbert Luken of South Seventh street won the quilt that was raffled at the Royal Neighbor fair on Wednesday evening.

Leather photograph folders, just what the soldier boys need, at D. E. Whitney's. 1051f

Mrs. Trueman Green, Mrs. Sam Johnson and Mrs. Albert Fox went to Little Falls this afternoon to attend the district convention of the Rebekahs.

Basket social and dance at Woodrow Saturday evening, Oct. 27, for benefit boys at Camp Dodge. 11916

The Rebekah district convention at Little Falls today was attended by Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Walters who drove in their car and had as guests Mrs. C. A. Nelson, Mrs. Frank Russell, Mrs. M. E. Morrison.

For a first class job of Oxy-Acetylene welding go to Herbert Peterson at the Woodhead Motor Co. garage. 131f

Deer, from all indications, will be plentiful this season. Several have been seen in the vicinity of Manganssee by T. E. Dahljeim, editor of a Barrows paper who has taken a large logging contract in a section of hardwood timber.

The Dispatch Wednesday evening carried a column of want ads. There were 4 help wanted, 9 for rent, 14

Dance and supper Saturday evening, Nov. 3, at Joe Belliveau, 50 cents. Also free draw on lady's gold watch. 8 1/2 miles east on Oak street. 11p

For sale and 5 miscellaneous wants. Telephone your want to the Dispatch, Northwest 74, or mail your want or have it sent to the office. Ads are cash.

Overcoat headquarters for Brainerd at H. W. Linnemann's. For years this store has enjoyed the reputation of selling the best overcoats and never were we in better position to satisfy the demands of the trade than right now. 12213

Dr. Harry Knowles, guest of Dr. A. F. Groves, has gone to St. Paul and later will go to Annandale where he is temporarily supplying the pulpit. Dr. Knowles was at one time minister of the First Methodist church in Brainerd and later had a pastorate in Superior, Wis., and then in Canada.

Blue Ribbon Orchestra
DANCE
In Gardner's Auditorium
Friday, Oct. 26

Tickets 75c Ladies Free
Sheriff Claus A. Theorin lodged in the county jail Steve Bosnich and Julia Durkovich, of Ironton, charged with adultery. At their hearing both had been bound over to the district court in bonds of \$500 each which they were unable to furnish. John Durkovich came from Michigan and had the pair arrested, charging his wife had left him and was living with Bosnich.

Gustav Hindenburg, cousin of the great field marshal, bought \$25,000 Liberty bonds. Gustav is a farmer in Nebraska. There seems to be as much difference in Hindenburg's as there is in lines of clothes. The true American dependable brand is sold by H. W. Linnemann, gives good service and is excellent value. 12213

A new Ford car was found in the ditch two miles this side of Fort Ripley, says Sheriff Claus A. Theorin. Acting under the sheriff's instructions, a farmer near by is acting as custodian while the owners are being traced up. From the state department it was learned that the license had been made out to E. H. Anderson of 912 Eighth Avenue S., Minneapolis. A letter addressed there was returned and inquiry from the police elicited the response that there wasn't a house in the whole block at the location named. Inquiries have now been addressed to the manufacturers.

Every soldier should have one of those leather photoholders at D. E. Whitney's to carry the photograph of his sweetheart and mother. 1051f

IN MUNICIPAL COURT
One Draws 15 Days at Hard Labor For Simple Assault, Vagrancy Case Up

Charles Morey, arrested on complaint of Leora Scott, charged with shooting fire arms in the city limits, pleaded not guilty to the charge and this was dismissed at the hearing in municipal court before Judge Walter F. Wieland. Morey, it is said, carried an L. W. W. card.

Morey then pleaded guilty to simple assault and drew 15 days at hard labor.

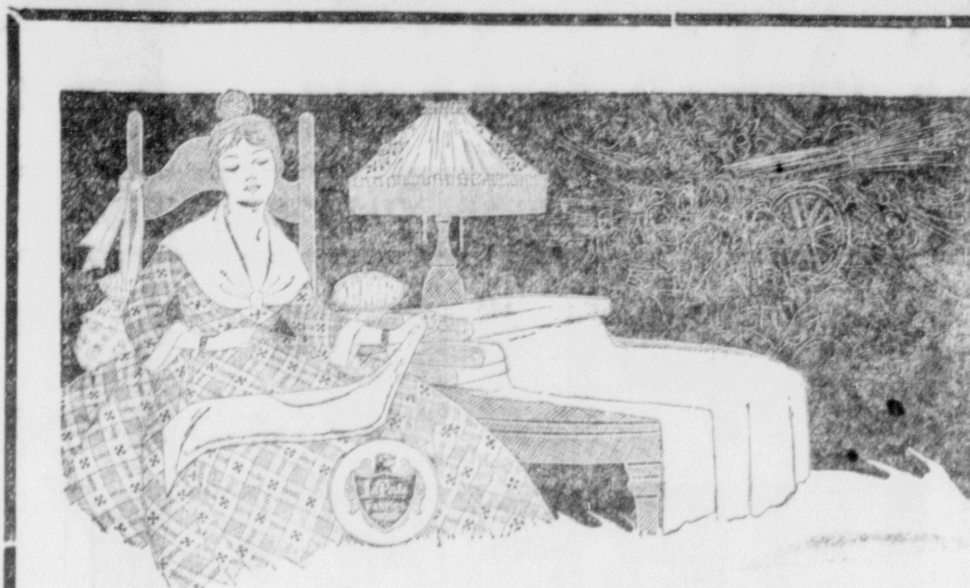
Grace Canfield, charged with vagrancy, had a trial and was found not guilty.

BLUE RIBBON ORCHESTRA
Program of Dance to be Given Friday Evening at the Gardner Auditorium

The following is the program of music to be played at the Blue Ribbon orchestra dance in Gardner auditorium:

"Somewhere in Erin".....One-Step
"Dorothy".....Waltz
"Says I to Myself".....One-Step
"Just as Your Mother Was".....Waltz
"I'm Longing For You".....One-Step
"My Little Rambling Rose".....Waltz
"Be a Good Scout".....One-Step
"Love's Ladder".....Waltz
"Strike up the Band".....One-Step
"When You Waltz With Me Girl".....Waltz
"You Love".....Waltz
"Almost Home".....One-Step
"Hawaiian Nights".....Waltz
"Over There".....One-Step
"Home Sweet Home".....One-Step

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WOULD GRANT CONCESSIONS
Holland Hopes to Permit Commandeering of Ships by U. S.

Washington, Oct. 24.—New proposals made by the war trade board for the release of the Niue, Amsterdam and other Dutch ships now in American ports have been submitted to Holland by Chevalier Van Rappard, the Netherlands minister.

The Dutch government is ready to make substantial concessions to prevent commandeering of the vessels by the United States. It was made clear that, while the ships could not be devoted to traffic within the danger zone with the consent of Holland, they could be put in any other use in connection with overseas trade which would release allied tonnage. If a charter agreement is reached it will be with that understanding. Proposals for unlimited use have been turned down by the Dutch.

NO TRADING IN CORN FUTURES
Stopped On Chicago Board of Trade By Directors.

Chicago, Oct. 24.—Trading in November and December corn has been stopped by decision of the Board of Trade directors. The announcement was made following a meeting of the committee which lasted several hours. The members of the board were notified to cease trading in the two futures except to fulfill such contracts as are in existence. Public notice of the action of the directors was given out at the close of the meeting.

Boy Drafted; Mother Hangs Self.
Rochester, Minn., Oct. 24.—The body of Mrs. Ada Haugen, 60, was found by neighbors a short time after she had accompanied her son to the railroad station from which he departed for Camp Dodge at Des Moines. Mrs. Haugen's body was suspended by a silk veil which had been tied about her neck. A note was found saying she was broken hearted. A coroner's investigation will be held.

Wife Deserter Gets Long Term.
Sioux Falls, Oct. 24.—George Faber, former business man of Chino City, has been lodged in the Sioux Falls penitentiary to serve a term of three years and six months. Some weeks ago he eloped from South Dakota with a young woman, deserting his wife.

NOTICE OF SALE OF PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT REVOLVING FUND COUPON BONDS.
Public Notice is hereby Given that sealed bids for the purchase of Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000.00) Permanent Improvement Revolving Fund Bonds of said City of Brainerd, Crow Wing County, State of Minnesota, will be received and considered by the City Council of said City on the 5th day of November, 1917, at eight o'clock P. M. at the Council Chambers in the City Hall in said City of Brainerd. Said bonds are to be issued for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a Permanent Improvement Revolving Fund, are to be dated September 1, 1917, and be in denomination of \$1,000.00 each, bearing interest at the rate of Five Per Cent (5%) per annum, payable semi-annually, and to mature and be payable September 1, 1927; both principal and interest to be payable at the office of the Wells-Dickey Trust Company in the City of Minneapolis, Minnesota. All tenders to purchase must be without condition or qualification and be accompanied by an unconditional certified check in the amount of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00). Said bonds will be ready for delivery at the time of the sale, and will be accompanied by the approving opinion of R. C. Andrews, Esq., of Minneapolis, Minnesota. Bids should be addressed to the undersigned. This Notice is Given by authority of a resolution adopted by the City Council of said City. Dated at Brainerd, Minnesota this 8th day of October, 1917.

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WOMAN'S REALM

ED CROSS MAKES A GOOD SHOWING

erwood Branch Shipment Sent to Brainerd is Added to the Quota of the District

IE HAGE STORE STOCK IS SOLD

ac Sall Hurt in a Hunting Accident—David Archibald Returns From Vicksburg

Deerwood, Minn., October 24—erwood Red Cross made a commendable showing in work of the diers and their shipment, sent to Brainerd, was added to the quota of e district.

The stock in the old Hage store has en sold to the Bay Lake Fruit owers association which is now in- jeing the stock.

The Civic League held a special eeting at the library hall Tuesday. Mrs. H. J. Ernster visited in Braind Wednesday.

B. Magoffin, Jr., and Frank Free- an brought back big bags of ducks om Rice lake.

David Archibald has returned from icksburg, Miss., where he attended e soldiers' jubilee.

The Civic League will entertain e teachers of the local schools at e library building on Saturday af- noon, October 27.

A rag ball social will be given at e Carlson school Saturday eve- ing.

In a hunting accident Isaac Sall ad his right arm shot to pieces and as was later amputated near the oulder.

Road Foreman Olsen Skau was at Brainerd on road matters and on- ferred with County Engineer Motl.

Charles Oberg was in town from Minneapolis.

The village water tank has been ushed and cleaned out by Ed Gar- and.

John Tollefson and Paul Mattson e building a residence for T. T. aaland in Deerwood township.

William Elmers, Deerwood boy.

who was cashier of the Cuyuna State bank and was at the National army camp at Camp Dodge, has been honorably discharged on account of physical disability.

E. A. Wasserzieher and mother have removed to town after a summer spent on their farm in Bay Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Quintlvan have returned from a visit in the east.

Rev. E. S. Ternberg conducted services at the Swedish Lutheran church last Sunday.

AMERICAN RED CROSS

Annual Meeting of Brainerd Chapter at Chamber of Commerce October 31

A circular letter embodying the following has been sent the branches of the Red Cross in this county:

"The annual meeting of the Brainerd Chapter, American Red Cross, will be held at the Chamber of Commerce rooms at Brainerd on Wednesday, October 31st, at 2 P. M. At this meeting the reports of the chairman, officers and special committees will be heard and the election of officers held. Four directors, a chairman, vice chairman, secretary and treasurer are the officers to be elected. The directors to be elected will hold their office for three years, or until October 31, 1920.

"Every member of the Red Cross in Crow Wing county is entitled to a voice in the meeting, and the secretary of every branch and auxiliary is requested to read this announcement before the members and to give the same publicity in the local papers.

"A large attendance at the annual meeting is very much desired.

Signed,
Brainerd Chapter,
American Red Cross,
FRED T. LINCOLN,
Secretary."

BARACA CLASS

Testaments to be Sent All the Class Members Who Have Joined the Colors

The Baraca class of the First Baptist church held its monthly business meeting at the church, October 22. It was decided to send testaments to all members of the class who have joined the colors.

A banquet is being planned for the members of the class and prospective members will also receive invitations. The class voted to begin work on a new class room which will be located over the B. Y. P. U. room. C. C. Davis was elected debating leader and T. E. Holland will have charge of the musical activities. A full attendance is desired at the regular session next Sunday morning.

Fireside Club

The Fireside club of the Norwegian-Lutheran church will meet Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Dahl, 915 Norwood street south.

For Mrs. Guy C. Stratton

Mrs. A. L. Alexander of 215 Kingwood street, entertained Wednesday afternoon for Mrs. Guy C. Stratton of Woodrow at a 5 o'clock luncheon, covers being laid for twelve.

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"When Dreams Come True"

Edna Morn, prima donna with "When Dreams Come True," entertains some rather unusual ideas regarding the best forms of exercise for girls. Walking, swimming, horseback riding and gymnasium work, she considers well enough in their way, but for regular health-giving pursuit, give Miss Morn dancing.

"I always dance two hours a day, outside regular theatre hours," she says. "Usually in some gymnasium or hall where I can have the wide open windows for the admission of plenty of air. After all it is the air that counts most. The main idea is to get it into every fold and corner of your lungs. This you cannot do by sitting on a park bench or lolling back in an automobile. Nor can it be accomplished by any kind of exercise performed in a leisurely manner.

"In urging the benefits of dancing, of course, I have no reference to the acrobatic feats which too frequently are accepted as examples of the true art, when as a fact they

At the Empress Tomorrow

In "The Innocent Sinner," which shows at the Empress theatre tomorrow, R. A. Walsh has produced a powerful drama for William Fox. It is a story with many throbs and shows how the human heart can forgive an innocent sinner—a girl who had been lead into wrongdoing by the lying tongue of wickedness.

Mary Ellen (Miriam Cooper) is led from her home in the country on the promise of marriage. Because she is innocent she falls into evil ways. One day the man who led to her is found murdered. She flees from the house and attempts to make an honest living—tries to be a good girl. Finally she falls in love with a doctor. The doctor was a friend of the man who lured her to the city, the man who was afterward murdered. He turns from her in horror. What would you do if you were the doctor, would you listen to the girl's story? Would you forgive her? Would you marry her? Perhaps you will agree with the solution in the picture.

WISCONSIN SENATOR BURIED

Husting, Hunting Accident Victim, Laid To Rest in Family Plot.

Mayville, Wis., Oct. 25.—The funeral of United States Senator Paul O. Hustung, who was accidentally shot and killed by his brother, Gustave, while on a hunting trip on Sunday last, was held here Wednesday, the body being laid to rest in the family plot at Grace-land cemetery. Services held at the home of the late senator's sister, Mrs. Belle Lamoreaux, were conducted by Rev. Frank B. Dunkley. A funeral oration was delivered by Judge Martin Luck of Juneau, a lifelong friend of the senator.

Camp Grant Ready November 10. Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., Oct. 25.—All construction work will be completed here November 10. It is announced by Bates & Rogers, the contractors. The work will have cost about \$7,000,000.

Liberty Motors O. K., Navy Finds.

Washington, Oct. 25.—The Liberty airplane motor has met with every requirement in block tests and in actual air trials. While various foreign made motors have been offered to the government there is no present intention of using any other than the Liberty motors for American production. These statements were made at the Navy department in answer to published reports that a foreign motor had been offered, which many officials considered better, and implying that some friction had developed.

Billion Bushel Wheat Crop in 1918.

Washington, Oct. 25.—The billion-bushel wheat war crop planned for next year by the Agricultural department looks promising from reports of increased winter wheat acreage, according to Assistant Secretary Pearson. The department is confident of 44,624,000 acres being sown to winter wheat, and with an average yield this should net upwards of 650,000,000 bushels, nearly as much as this year's entire wheat crop.

GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY

PROCLAMATION

Whereas, the Sunday School Association of this state has requested the churches of all denominations and creeds to set aside November fourth, 1917, as an "International Go-to-Sunday-School Day," for the purpose of holding special religious and patriotic exercises, and

Whereas, our people realize the need of encouraging in every possible way all those instrumentalities which assist in creating a religious and patriotic citizenship,

Now, Therefore, I, R. A. Beise, Mayor of Brainerd, Minnesota, do hereby call the attention of our citizens to the purpose of this day with the hope that all who can will, on November fourth, 1917, encourage by their presence in the places of worship the teaching of religion, morality and patriotism.

Signed,

R. A. BEISE,

Mayor of Brainerd.

"DREAMS COME TRUE"

PLEASED DULUTH

Duluth, Minn., Oct. 22-17. Manager Workman, Park Theatre, Brainerd, Minn.:

"When Dreams Come True" pleased the people here immensely tonight and I am pleased to recommend this excellent musical comedy.

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Mgr. Lyceum Theatre.

27 GERMANS FOUND GUILTY

Convicted Under Spy Act By South Dakota Jury.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Oct. 25.—Twenty-seven German Socialists of Hutchinson county, South Dakota, were found guilty on three counts of an indictment charging violation of the espionage act in federal court here. The jury returned the verdict after more than three hours' deliberation. Sentence will be passed by Judge Youmans this morning.

The defendants, who were tried jointly, were charged also with having signed a petition to Governor Norbeck in August threatening him with defeat in future elections unless the draft quota of the county was readjusted. All of the defendants admitted signing the petition, but denied knowledge of its contents. Most of them could not speak or read English, they testified. Evidence introduced by the government, tended to prove that a conspiracy existed among German Socialists in Hutchinson county to obstruct the operation of the selective draft law.

When a Man Changes.

Every man takes care that his neighbor shall not cheat him. But a day comes when he begins to care that he does not cheat his neighbor. He has changed his market cart into a chariot of the sun.—Emerson.

Big Market for Peanuts.

Marseilles, France, is the great central market for peanuts, more than 120,000 metric tons of peanuts in the shell and 240,000 tons of shelled nuts being crushed there in a single year.

IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

Flush the Kidneys at once when Back-achy or Bladder bothers—Meat forms uric acid.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

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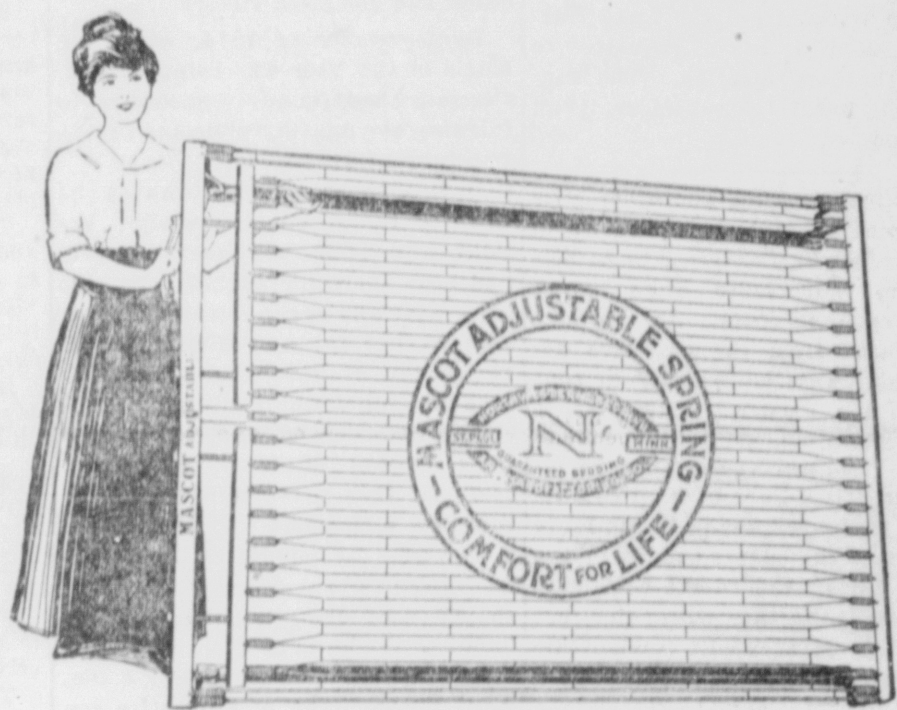
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Don't stay stuffed up! Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream Balm is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer has been seeking. It's just splendid.

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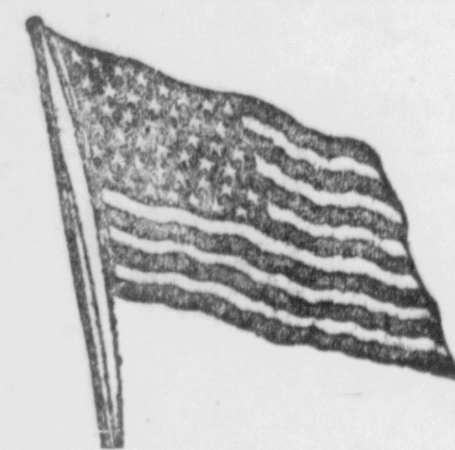
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 Your heart and my heart
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 Sun-kissed and wind-kissed,
 The Red, the Blue and White!
 The one flag—the Great Flag—
 The flag for me and you—
 Glorified the whole world wide—
 The Red, the White, the Blue!

Congressman Lundeen of Minneapolis, accused of disloyalty, has refused to resign from the Lake Harriet commercial club as requested to do by that organization. The congressman naturally considers it an "illegitimate" step.

Christmas presents and other gifts from home for American soldiers in France must be restricted to parcels weighing not more than seven pounds each, according to an announcement from the postoffice department. This is in order to conform to the French railway and postal service.

Potato prices have been tilted during the past week owing to the large quantity of the tubers caught in the ground during the recent cold snap and frosted, together with the car shortage. Minneapolis wholesale dealers say this is augmented by a desire of the farmers to establish a \$1 price which seems to have been effectually accomplished.

It is not a program on the part of the food administration to call upon the people to eat less but to eat different things in order that the foods which are an absolute necessity for our armies and for the people who have been fighting the battle of liberty abroad may be supplied to them, and the week Nov. 4 to 11 has been designated for this purpose. The co-operation of the people in assisting with the food pledge card campaign is being asked.

The Northern Pacific and Great Northern roads received vast grants of land from the government when the roads were building in order that these railroads might be extended into the wilderness as it then was. In the grant of lands to these roads was inserted a clause which provides that in consideration of these free land grants the railroads accepting them should transport all troops and war supplies at half rate. The time has

CITIZENS STATE BANK

Brainerd, Minnesota

Statement of the condition of the Citizens State Bank of Brainerd, at close of business on Oct. 22, 1917.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$870,767.96
Overdrafts	517.87
Bonds, and Securities	15,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	3,200.00
Other Real Estate	12,336.10
Due from Banks	78,429.39
Cash on Hand	7,679.88
Total Cash Assets	\$3,609.07
Checks and Cash Items	2,035.65
Total	\$97,966.54

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Surplus	5,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net	5,591.54
Deposits subject to check	\$128,915.95
Cashier's checks	4,242.20
Due to banks	2,657.63
Total immediate liabilities	\$125,946.79
Savings deposits	27,844.04
Time certificates	197,965.17
Total Deposits	\$601,755.99
Total	\$97,966.54

Amount of Reserve on hand \$ 85,500.07
 Amount of Reserve required by law \$ 25,400.82
 State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, ss.

We, F. H. Simpson, Vice President and G. P. O'Brien, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

F. H. SIMPSON, Vice President
 G. P. O'BRIEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: A. G. THOMAS, Notary Public, Crow Wing County, Minnesota.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Oct. 1917.

M. E. RYAN, Notary Public, Crow Wing County, Minnesota.
 My Commission Expires July 25th, 1918.

come and the railroads are now in a position to pay Uncle Sam back, and it is understood that there is no objection by the roads to the law.

The Gradual Growth of Fighting Forces

BY HENRY WOOD,
 (United Press Staff Correspondent.)

With the French Armies Afraid, Oct. 5 (By Mail)—By an intensity of mobilization that has drained Germany dry of every man capable of military service, the German fighting divisions on the French and Russian fronts have been practically doubled since August 1, 1914.

Despite this gigantic effort, France, England and Russia, the three original Allies, have in every way kept pace with the result that at the present time they still have the numerical superiority in fighting forces. In addition it has been definitely established that the military of the Allied armies, as constituted at the present time, is constantly on the increase, while that of the German army is unmistakably on the decline.

Since the beginning of the war the new Allies that have joined France, England and Russia have far exceeded in the re-inforcements of troops which they have added to the Allied cause, those brought to Germany by the allies won over to her side.

On August 1, 1914, when Germany had mobilized to the extent she deemed necessary to win the war, she threw onto the French and Russian fronts, 123 fighting divisions constituted on a basis of four regiments to the division. By first crushing France with the bulk of these and then throwing them to the Russian front by means of her system of strategic railways, she counted on a quick and complete victory.

By November of 1914, when the battle of the Yser was being fought, Germany had found it necessary to increase her fighting divisions on the two fronts to 137.

In September of 1915, towards the close of the Russian campaign, the German divisions on the two fronts had been increased to 170. By this time, Germany began to feel the pressure on her for new divisions, and to permit of this she began the gradual transformation of her divisions to a basis of three regiments each instead of four. The extra regiment thus saved went to constitute new divisions.

Towards the middle of the attack on Verdun, about June, 1916, all of the German divisions had been reduced to the basis of three regiments only. By this change, and by a constant fine-combing of the entire empire for available men, Germany was able to augment her divisions on the eastern and western fighting fronts to 173.

The fall and winter of 1916 witnessed Hindenburg's colossal effort at mobilization and the creation of new divisions. His plans included the incorporation of the inhabitants of Serbia, Poland and other conquered districts. As early as December of 1916, his effort had permitted an increase in the fighting divisions of the two fronts to 298.

By July 1917, at the end of the French and English spring offensive Hindenburg had attained 234 divisions. On September 1, at the time Germany undertook her counter-offensives on the Russian front, a maximum of 239 fighting divisions had been thrown onto the two fronts by the Germans.

Against the 123 fighting divisions which Germany threw on the French and Russian fronts with the beginning of hostilities she now has there 239 divisions. Owing to the fact that these latter are exclusively on a basis of three regiments to a division instead of four as at the beginning the figures are a trifle deceptive.

A more accurate idea can be had by reckoning in battalions as battalions have approximately 1,000 men, although it is definitely known that hundreds of the German battalions are now far below this number. On this basis, Germany started her campaign on the French and Russian fronts with 1,512 battalions. This number has by now been increased to 2,334. These fighting units of course do not take into account the millions of men employed in service behind the lines.

This Titanic increase is in no way discouraging to Allied military authorities because they happen to know that their own creation of new fighting units has in every way been equal. Other aspects of the situation are also most encouraging.

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ENEMY RETIRES ON SLAV FRONT

Germans Withdrawn Between Gulf of Riga and Dvina, Berlin Says.

PERSHING IN BATTLE

Goes As Far As German Second Line With French General—Violent Counterattacks by Teutons in West Fall.

American Training Camp in France, Oct. 25 (By Associated Press).—General Pershing has accompanied one of the French generals as far as the second German line in the French attack on the Aisne front.

Counter Attacks Fall. London, Oct. 25.—Violent German counterattacks against newly won British and French positions around Houthoulist wood have been fruitless. Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports. One such vigorous counterblow was launched by the enemy at the point of juncture of the French and British. It was completely repulsed. "Since Monday," Haig concluded, "seven counterattacks have been made and none has materially gained for the enemy."

Germans in East Retreat. Berlin, Oct. 25.—On a wide front between the Gulf of Riga and the Dvina, the German troops have been withdrawn without interruption from the enemy army headquarters announcements. The withdrawal took place Sunday night.

In their attacks on the Aisne front the French at first pressed forward quickly, but later their thrust was arrested by the German reserves, says an official communication.

Enemy Drive On Italian Front. An Austro-German offensive has been instituted on the Italian front, army headquarters announces. German and Austrian infantry captured the foremost Italian positions near Flietz and Holmino and in the northern portion of the Bainsizza plateau.

The French troops in their attack, adds the statement, drove forward to the villages of Alenmont and Chavignon and the positions lying between these points became untenable.

In the withdrawal the German advanced batteries had to be blown up and left to the French.

MILL CITY OVERSUBSCRIBES

Contributes \$24,094,776 To Second Liberty Loan.

Minneapolis, Oct. 25.—Minneapolis' total subscription to the second Liberty Loan is \$24,094,776.

The city's quota, set by the Federal Reserve bank of the Ninth district, was \$16,000,000.

The final total, announced at a triumphant meeting of 1,200 Liberty Loan workers at the Auditorium, after 37 team captains had made their reports, represented not only pledges from business men and large firms but from thousands of wage earners of the city.

Including the contributions made to the loan by 60,000 school children, the total subscription represents pledges amounting to 131,720, or one subscriber to every four men, women and children in the city.

SEIZED SHIP REPORTED SUNK

Santa Elena, Formerly German, Lost, Spain Reports.

Buenos Aires, Oct. 25.—Sinking of the American steamer Santa Elena, with 24 lost, is reported in dispatches received from Spain by La Nacion. The dispatch says the vessel was sunk near Ferrol and that the captain and one sailor were the sole survivors.

La Nacion adds that the Santa Elena was one of the German ships seized by the United States.

The Santa Elena was a steel screw steamer of 7,415 tons, owned by the Hamburg-South American line of Hamburg. As far as available records showed, she was among the German vessels seized by the United States at the outbreak of the war.

LOSS FROM U-BOATS GROWS

Increased Toll of British Shipping Taken Past Week.

London, Oct. 25.—An increase in the loss of British merchantmen through mines or submarines is noted in the admiralty report for the current week. Seventeen vessels of more than 1,600 tons and eight under 1,600 tons were sunk.

In the previous week 12 British merchant vessels of more than 1,600 tons, six under that tonnage and one fishing vessel were sunk.

Rumors of Russian Revolt.

Petrograd, Oct. 25.—The evening newspapers, which publish the program for the meeting of the Central Council of Soldiers' and Workmen's deputies on Oct. 26, old style, (Nov. 2), are filled with rumors of a Bolshevik demonstration and an attempt to seize the government on that date. The program for the discussions of the council embraces five topics: The revolutionary democracy and its powers and the conditions of peace, the constituent assembly, demobilizing the army and the fight against anarchy and pogroms.

DR. MICHAELIS QUILTS

Growing Opposition Forces Chancellor Out.

Wireless Press Story of Resignation Not Confirmed—Kaiser Returns From Balkans for Crisis.

London, Oct. 25.—Chancellor Georg Michaelis has placed his portfolio in the Kaiser's hands, according to a wireless dispatch received from Amsterdam.

The Wireless Press was not confirmed from other sources. The opposition to Chancellor Michaelis has been growing steadily during recent months in Germany. It started with the effort of the majority socialists to obtain some definite statement of Germany's war aims and grew more formidable when Michaelis evaded and ducked the issue. It reached a crisis when Michaelis and Admiral von Capelle, minister of marine, sprung the news of the German naval mutiny in what socialists soon saw was a trick to gain a weapon by which Michaelis and his junkie supporters could crush liberalism in Germany.

Buelow in Berlin.

Within the last few weeks Berlin reports have indicated the mysterious presence there of Prince von Buelow, formerly chancellor, and have coupled his conferences with high officials with the report that the chancellorship was again to be offered him.

Kaiser Back From Balkans.

Copenhagen, Oct. 25.—Emperor Wilhelm has returned to Berlin, prepared to begin dealing immediately with the political crisis, particularly as it affected the imperial chancellorship. Rudolph von Valentini, chief of the emperor's civil cabinet, made a report to the emperor on the train on the various developments of the international political situation during the emperor's absence in the Balkans.

Valentini acts as the emperor's eyes and ears in ascertaining public and political opinion.

DESSERTERS GET TEN YEARS

Alabama Privates Found Guilty By Courtmartial.

New York, Oct. 25.—Ten years imprisonment at hard labor, forfeiture of pay and all allowances and dishonorable discharge from the army were the penalties inflicted by a courtmartial at Camp Mills, L. I., a few days ago upon two privates who deserted from the 167th Infantry (old 49th Alabama), which is part of the rainbow division.

This courtmartial was one of the most important held anywhere in the United States since this country entered the war.

Only the leniency of the court and their youth saved the deserters from a firing squad.

DAILY MARKET REPORT.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Oct. 25.—Oats, December, 57c; May 59c; No. 3 corn, \$2.00; No. 3 white oats, 59c; barley, malted, \$1.10; No. 2 rye, \$1.75; No. 1 flax, \$3.25.

Duluth Flax. Duluth, Oct. 25.—Flaxseed, October, \$3.21; Nov., \$3.20; Dec., \$3.15.

Chicago Grain. Chicago, Oct. 25.—Corn, December, \$1.16; May, \$1.11; Oats, Dec., 58c; May, 60c.

South St. Paul Live Stock. South St. Paul, Oct. 25.—Estimated receipts at the Union Stock Yards today: Cattle, 5,000; calves, 65; hogs, 9,000; sheep, 3,200; cars, 315.

Hogs, \$14.50@15.00; sheep and lambs, \$8.00@16.00.

Chicago Live Stock. Chicago, Oct. 25.—Scarciness of hog receipts today brought about a decided upturn in prices. Cattle did not seem overplentiful. There was no special call for sheep. Hogs receipts 20,000; strong; bulk, \$14.80@16.40; light, \$14.25@16.45; mixed, \$14.60@16.70; heavy, \$14.55@16.65; rough, \$14.50@14.80; pigs, \$10.25@12.85. Cattle receipts, 20,000; firm; native steers, \$8.85@17; western steers, \$6.99; 13.65; stockers and feeders, \$6@11.40; cows and heifers, \$4.75@11.50; calves, \$8.50@15.50; sheep receipts, 24,000; weak; wethers, \$8.80@12.75; lambs, \$12.50@17.75.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Minneapolis, Oct. 25.—Butter—Creamery extras, per lb. 41c; extra firsts, 40c; firsts, 39c; seconds, 38c; dairy, 38c; packing stock 25c.

Eggs—Fresh prime firsts, new cases free from rots, small dirties and checks out, per doz. 38c; current receipts, rots out, \$10.65; cold storage, carlots per case, \$10.65; checks and seconds, doz. 29c; dirties, candled, doz. 29c. Quotations on eggs includes cases.

Live Poultry—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs. and over, 20c; thin, small, unsalable cripples and culls, unsalable; roosters, 13c; hens, 4 lbs. and over, 17c; 2 to 3 lbs. 15c; hens and culls, 10c@12c; ducks, 15c; spring, 16c; geese, 1 lb. 10c.

Carranza Commission Coming.

Washington, Oct. 25.—A special commission appointed by President Carranza is now on its way here from Mexico City to endeavor to arrange with the federal authorities for a supply of corn and American gold in return for a removal of the restrictions made by Mexico upon the exportation of silver and gold bullion. An arrangement had been made between the Mexican ambassador and the State department for such an exchange. But this was found to be unsatisfactory by the Mexican foreign office.

FOOD CONDITIONS BAD

Germans Also Realize Failure Of War, Says Stovall.

Result Will Be Revolution In Some Form Asserts Returned U. S. Envoy.

Washington, Oct. 25.—Just back on his first return from his post in four years, Pleasant A. Stovall, U. S. minister to Switzerland, sees no immediate prospect of peace, despite Germany's gradual weakening of morale in the civilian population and the army.

"The German people," said Mr. Stovall, "are slowly realizing that the war is a total failure. As this spirit grows it will cause some sort of a revolution, but I do not think one can forecast what form this will take. Food and other economic conditions in Germany are very bad and growing worse."

Switzerland, the minister declared, is neutral and will not abandon the position.

KERENSKY CALLED TRAITOR

Openly Accused of Favoring Germany And Kaiser.

Petrograd, Oct. 25.—The Petrograd Council of Soldiers' and Workmen's delegates had adopted a resolution proposed by Leon Trotsky, president of its executive committee and a leading Maximalist, declaring the salvation of the country lies in the conclusion of peace as quickly as possible.

The resolution contains declarations accusing Premier Kerensky of a desire to "deliver Petrograd into the hands of the Germans and their Allies," and also of openly favoring the German emperor. The resolution instructs the executive committee to propose an armistice to all the nations. As long as peace is not concluded, however, concludes the resolution, the committee must defend Petrograd and restore the army to the status of a combative force.

Demands La Follette's Expulsion.

Wausau, Wis., Oct. 25.—The Marathon county Council of Defense has adopted a memorial to the United States Senate asking the expulsion of Senator La Follette in the interests of good citizenship. The memorial declares the senator made false statements concerning the purpose and motive of this nation in anti-war statements tending to aid the enemy in the belief that this nation is not united in purpose or resolve thereby prolonging the war and hazarding the lives of our soldiers and sailors.

BEST Theatre

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BROMLEY MESSAGE ON "AMUSEMENTS"

Draws Large Attendance at the Tabernacle Where the Subject Was Handled Without Gloves

CARDS, THEATRE AND DANCE
Were the Three Popular Amusements Which Came in for Discussion With Special Reference

BROMLEY TABERNACLE ANNOUNCEMENTS

THURSDAY
Thursday will be observed as Mothers' Day with an appropriate address in the evening. Mrs. Hill will have charge of the tabernacle arrangements for the service. Rev. Dr. Hostager will look after the automobiles to convey old folks to and from the tabernacle.

Friday afternoon the Boosters will enjoy a social hour at the "Tab."

Saturday afternoon there will be a great religious parade. This promises to be an elaborate affair.

Sunday arrangements will be made to serve coffee for those who come from a distance and bring their lunch with them.

In spite of other activities in the city last night, the great Bromley tabernacle was comfortably filled to hear the evangelist's message on "Popular Amusements," which was deferred from last week on account of bad weather.

A happy arrangement was arrived at to prevent a conflict between the patriotic observance of Liberty Day and the religious efforts of the campaign, by the kind and most acceptable offer of Dr. Charles Wesley Burns to address the audience at the tabernacle before the down town celebrations began.

This he did with the hearty appreciation of the audience present which was not backward in manifestations of its loyalty to the flag and the movements of the hour. Doctor Burns' words of encouragement to the church people in their work were also appreciated.

The theme of the evening had been much advertised, as it has been considered one of vital importance, and also admittedly a mooted question.

None, however, had failed to forecast the general attitude of the visiting workers on this matter, for the preachings and teachings of the campaign have been plain and uncompromising.

Cards, the theatre and the dance were the three popular amusements which came in for discussion in special reference to the religious life. Each was considered separately, and each, as it was expressed, was taken up "as an institution," that is considered broadly, in very concrete fashion, with many illustrations from real life of their efforts not only on religion but on morals outside the professing church. Cards came in for the largest share of time, perhaps because the argument in their favor seems the more subtle, as the card, in theory, is harmless. This the speaker admitted, adding, however, "if you let them alone."

Besides emphasizing the waste of time in cards habitually played, the speaker made the statement that a card playing woman at last becomes unable to carry on an intelligent conversation for more than a short time without a deck of cards. The spectacle of a joyful communicant in the fellowship of the Savior rising in meeting to testify to the great comfort and blessing and good hope cards had brought, with the request that a deck be laid on his breast at death, was pictured with fine sarcasm. The prayer of such an one for blessing on the cards finished the picture.

Cards, he asserted, were invented to amuse an idiotic king, and had been amusing idiots ever since. Seeing a deck of cards in an insane asylum on one occasion he asked if the inmates played. The attendant's answer was that nothing could amuse an idiot like a deck of cards.

The assertion that cards lead to gambling and the fact that the parlor is the kindergarten of those who graduate from the gambling den were the cue to the body of concrete illustrations in proof of these things. It would be difficult to listen to their recital, as many authentic instances were narrated, with much complacency as to the harmfulness of cards.

There was a touch of appropriate indignation as the common saying was voiced, that we must teach these things at home that our children may not learn them in worse places. In-

MAYOR EXPRESSES THANKS OF ALL

I wish to publicly express my personal thanks and those of the committee in charge of the patriotic meeting on "Liberty Day" for their hearty cooperation and their assistance in making the same a success.

Special thanks are tendered the Brainerd band, Messrs. S. F. Alderman and A. C. Mraz, the Red Cross ushers, the management of the Park opera house, the veterans of the G. A. R., Women's Relief Corps, Boy Scouts, St. Hall, the Chamber of Commerce, and in fact each and every one who gave their assistance.

The meeting was a decided success, and the credit of the same is largely due to those who aided in the details and in the program.

Signed,
MAYOR R. A. BEISE.

deed, they will hardly need to learn them outside if learned at home, and the speaker asserted that he would choose one regular gambling den for such a city gladly in preference to the playing of cards in the home, for in fact gamblers would not have patience to teach all our boys to play, and most of them go from the professedly innocent home game to the secret session over small stakes and at last to the gaming table.

No mercy was shown the mother who exhibited with glee her golden vase won at progressive euchre, and the picture of that same mother weeping over her son who pulled from his pocket the golden gains of last night's gambling could not but make the hearer feel that the bright jewel of moral consistency had been dropped in the mud and trampled under foot with sorrowful effect. Instances of the disintegration of religious effort, of persons willing to give up Christ rather than cards, of defalcations, murder and suicide growing out of home card playing which led to desperate gambling, were multiplied, till the very cumulative evidence must have put the objector to silence.

The theatre was next considered, not from the standpoint of what it might have been or in beautiful theory might become, but as what it has actually come to be and always must be.

The authenticated statements of great authorities in the profession that stage women do not and cannot retain their chastity were but the forerunners of sadder and more far reaching ones. It is the bald statement of a successful teacher in a dramatic school, that every girl who hopes to make good in that profession must have her sexual sense awakened. And when that same teacher was quoted as saying that in his case he saw to it personally that that end was accomplished, the preacher added with appropriate emphasis that it is about time the dramatic schools of the country were investigated.

Statements were quoted from highest authorities that a clean play will not succeed, that sensational plays or those of moral doubtfulness are the only ones that by success fill the coffers of the financial backers of the theatre in general. Henry Irving spent six hundred thousand dollars trying to conduct a clean playhouse, and failed.

The theatre was shown to be, in the opinion of persons and bodies worthy of consideration in the matter, a school of immorality.

The movies came in for their share and were placed on the same level with the rest. A serious arraignment of local institutions of this kind was made for Sunday opening, and the religious people were exhorted to see that Sunday closing is observed, or else such pressure be brought to bear as will result in a greater calamity to the institution. This sentiment seemed to meet the hearty approval of the congregation.

The possibility of clean and harmless, indeed instructive and helpful picture shows was admitted, but again it was the "condition and not the theory" that must be discussed.

The dance was handled from the same standpoint, except that there can be no justification for the dance where there is a co-mingling of the sexes. Men and women would not give a groat to dance with their own sex. Here the speaker plainly detailed the palpable evil of familiarities of the ball room floor which would under no circumstances be tolerated elsewhere.

The tremendous but indisputable statement that eighty per cent at least of fallen women trace their loss of virtue to the dance, could not but leave its impression on the hearer. Men make use of the dance and its privileges to accomplish their immoral aims with girls whom they ought to protect and whom they often profess to love. The instance of one who had dared to brave a threat of murder and suicide by drowning but

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COMMERCIAL CLUB FORMED

Ironton Organizes Same and Officers Elected. L. T. Gavin Heading the Club

CATHOLIC CHURCH BAZAAR SOON

Wedding of Ross Gillis and Miss Julia Bernard—Presbyterian Food Sale Success

Ironton, Minn., October 24—Ironton has organized a commercial club, electing as its first set of officers President L. T. Gavin, vice president R. H. Lundbohm, secretary Ross Gillis, treasurer D. R. Sandstrom, directors G. P. Ellingson, A. C. Gilbertson, E. R. Burns, B. W. Heed and A. H. Proctor.

The regular annual bazaar of the Catholic church will be held at the armory on November 13, 14 and 15.

Ross Gillis of Ironton and Miss Julia Bernard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Bernard of St. Paul, were married Thursday. They have returned to Ironton and have made their home with the groom's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burns.

Many Ironton people will attend the benefit ball at the Crosby armory given for the boys at Camp Dodge.

A. R. McGuire has returned from a business trip to Duluth.

George Ridley has returned from Aitkin.

Mrs. Mark Cochran in Brainerd visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Noble.

Attorney Thomas W. Beare attended to legal matters in Minneapolis.

A. H. Moe of Duluth has succeeded to the position of mine engineer at the Cuyuna-Duluth formerly held by Al Victor who has enlisted in the engineers' corps.

The Presbyterian Sunday school cleared \$25.50 at the food sale given.

The Misses Rose Hamilton and Hannah Olson of Brainerd were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bye on Sunday.

JAMES M. ELDER FUNERAL

Well Known Brainerd Man to be Buried Friday, Services Shortly After Train Arrives

The funeral of James M. Elder will be held Friday afternoon shortly after the train bearing the remains arrives from St. Paul at 1:50 P. M.

The honorary pallbearers named are Dr. A. F. Groves, C. M. Patek, George D. LaBar, Con O'Brien, C. D. Johnson and Dr. Henri Ribbel.

The active pallbearers will be F. A. Farrar, W. A. M. Johnstone, Carl Zapffe, D. L. Fairchild, H. L. Jones and John C. Thomas of Oak Lawn township.

The service will take place at the First Congregational church, Rev. G. P. Sheridan officiating. The songs and music will be in charge of S. F. Alderman.

Short services will be held at the grave. Many farmers of the country expect to be present and may not arrive in time at the church, but will be in attendance at the grave where the services are expected to be held at about 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Notice

It is expected that many friends of the late James M. Elder will wish to see the remains. Inasmuch as it is the rule of the church not to open the casket during or after the service, the minister has made the following provisions:

The casket will be placed in the chapel previous to the service and those who wish may view the remains. After which the casket will be closed for the funeral service.

REV. G. P. SHERIDAN,
Minister.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Brainerd for the week ending Oct. 26, 1917. When calling for these letters please say "advertised."

Baker, Mr. W. F.
Brende, Mr. Sena.
Ford, Mr. Harry.
Gianvelli, Mr. W. S.
Golea, Charlie.
Hammond, Mr. L. J.
Hardman, Willie.
Hill, Mr. J. H.
Knerr, Miss Mary.
McDonough, Mr. E. B.
Olson, Mrs. Ingeberg.
Oman, Mr.
Potter, Blanche.
Rowley, Mrs. A.
Savusagean, Mrs. Flossie.
Sherman, Miss Beth.
Sorenson, Miss Ellen.
Tepalin, Mr. James.

H. P. DUNN, P. M.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

BIG DRIVE NOW ON IN CROSBY

Village Divided Into Districts in Charge of Captains for the Sale of Liberty Bonds

CHANGE IN MINE ASSESSMENTS

Koop Mercantile Co. Buys Sall Building on Main Street—Supt. Haughtelin Partly Exempted

Crosby, Minn., Oct. 25.—The big drive to sell Uncle Sam's second issue of Liberty bonds started Monday in Crosby. The village council met Sunday afternoon with A. J. Hayes, county chairman, and plans were there completed for the campaign. Crosby was divided into sections and each placed in charge of a captain.

The Minnesota State Tax Commission sent out notices of proposed raises in the valuation of some of the iron mines and manganese iron mines, and a hearing was held. No decision as to final amounts has yet been given out.

A brush fire in the swamp west of the county road called out the department.

Supt. P. N. Haughtelin, who was in the next call for drafted men, has been exempted until June. The government realized the demoralizing effect a change of superintendents would have at this time in the school board.

A. J. McLennan has returned from a trip to Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peterson and baby visited in Brainerd.

George H. Crosby, Jr., has been placed in charge of a magnesite mine in Valley, Wash., owned by his father.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid society met with Mrs. James Nelson on Wednesday afternoon.

NOTICE ELKS

All Elks are requested to be at the depot Friday afternoon when the St. Paul train arrives at 1:50 P. M. to meet the remains of our late brother, James M. Elder, there to form an escort of honor to the First Congregational church where the funeral services will be held.

R. R. GOULD,
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BENEFIT DANCE CROSBY TONIGHT

Arrangements have been completed for the big benefit dance at the Crosby armory tonight. Rochon's orchestra will play. The proceeds go to the company funds of the 352nd Infantry at Camp Dodge and thus assist the Crow Wing county boys to buy many little articles the regular rations do not allow.

Many Brainerd people will drive out in their cars. Representative Hilding A. Swanson has been given 50 tickets to dispose of in Brainerd

and hopes the town will respond and take the quota.

ROLL OF HONOR

The Crow Wing county local draft board has been notified to certify to seven additional men for military service. The thirty-nine local draft boards in Minnesota must certify 639 additional men to make up their respective net quotas in the state total of 17,778 men. In the case of Crow Wing county the number mentioned came back, having been honorably

discharged from the training camp on account of physical disability.

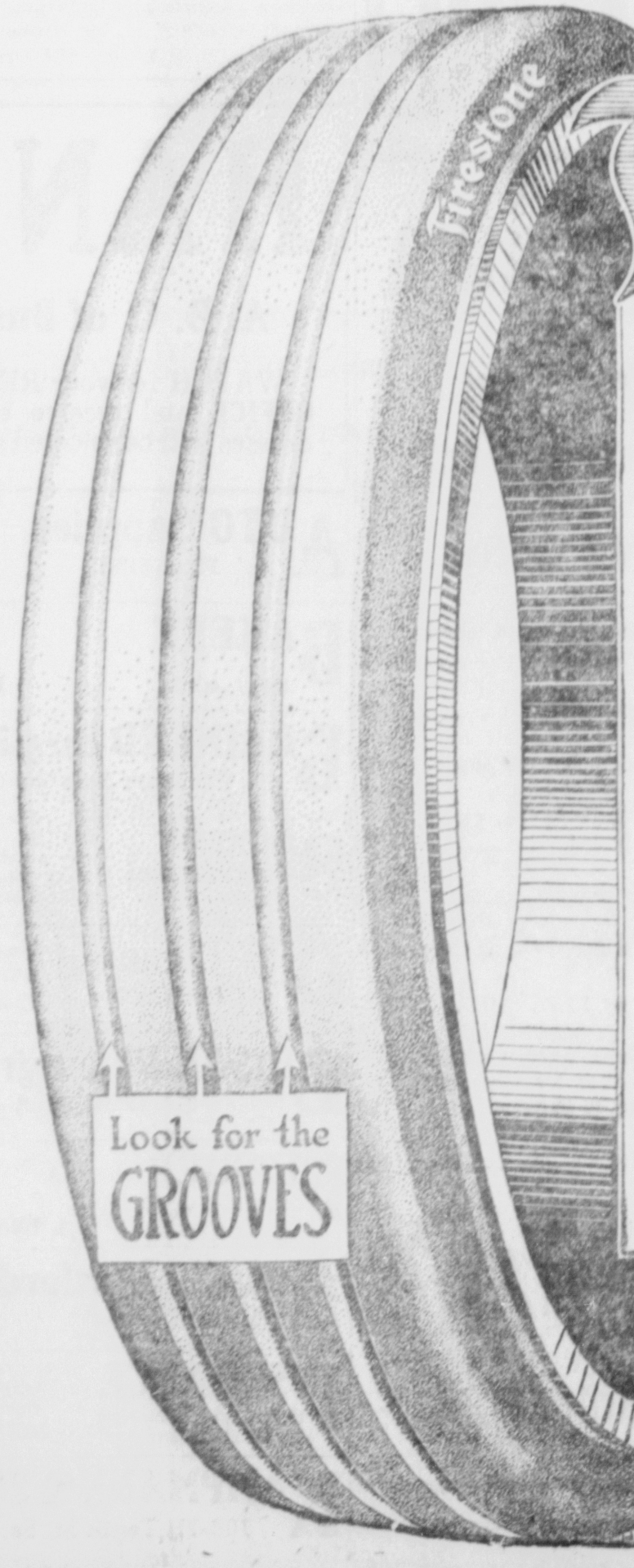
Art Boppel, wearing his new uniform, was here Sunday on a short furlough from Camp Dodge and took his automobile to St. Paul for storage.

Men's Club

The Men's club of the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church will meet Friday evening at the home of Peter Ulfreth, 624 South Broadway.

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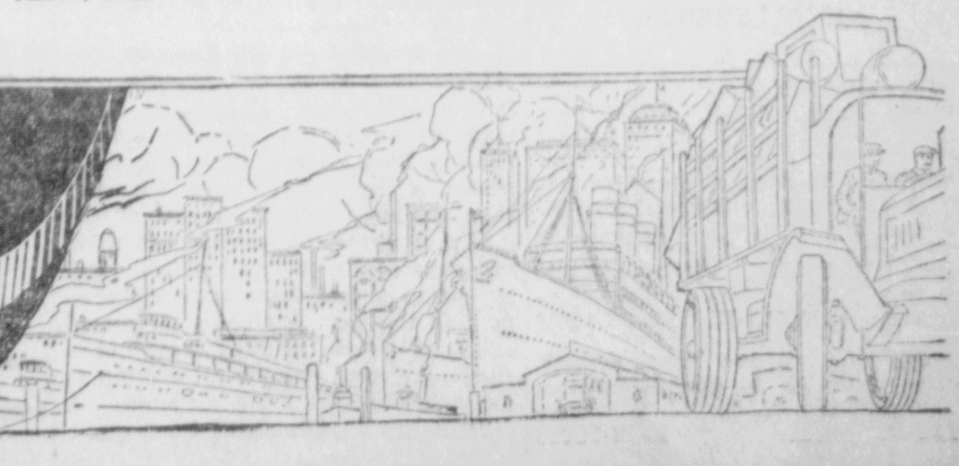
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FOR RENT—House, 913 Maple St. Toger Peterson. 1655-12213
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FOR RENT—Steam heated flats with baths. Cale Block. E. C. Bane. 1622-1161f
HOUSE FOR RENT—701 South 5th street. Inquire next door south. 1641-12013
FOR RENT—House 209 N. 7th. Enquire 316 3d Ave. N. E., or phone 227-J. 1536-1021f
FOR RENT—Comfortable room near depot for gentleman. Call 220 7th St. North. 1608-12016
FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 316 N. 10th St. 1639-12013
FOR RENT—Five downstairs rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Call after 5 P. M. 824 7th Ave. N. E. 1643-12016
FOR RENT—Nicer furnished room in Slipp block, suitable for two gentlemen. All modern. Telephone Northwest 836-J. 1630-1181f
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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Base burner coal stove. Inquire 124 2nd Ave. N. E. 1511-98-4f
FOR SALE—Several tons of clover hay for sale. W. D. McKay. 1646-1211f
FOR SALE—8 room modern house, except heat, 914 Bluff Ave. N. E. 1497-931f
FOR SALE CHEAP—If taken at once, second hand car. 307 S. 7th street. 1588-1101f
FOR SALE—Six-room modern house with garage. 521 Holly street. Leaving city. L. S. Budd. 1603-1121f
FOR SALE CHEAP—If taken at once 1917 Saxon six touring car. Inquire at W. E. Lively garage. 1635-1191f
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LIBERTY LOAN GETS BIG BOOST

Result of Canvass On Liberty Loan Day Brings Total Close To Three Billion.

PERSHING'S MEN HELP

Expeditionary Force In France Contributes \$1,500,000—Subscription Far Short Yet of Maximum Set.

Washington, Oct. 25.—A definite, determined rebuke was given by liberty to German autocracy, when the second Liberty Loan was swelled on Liberty Day close to the \$3,000,000,000 mark. On Liberty Day, proclaimed by President Wilson, who started the national work with his personal subscription of \$15,000, the people of the country rolled in their gold until the treasury officials announced that \$1,731,088,000 worth of bonds had been reported bought. Their unofficial estimates, based only upon the incomplete report, put the amount of the sales up to \$2,715,000,000, and this was made as a most conservative estimate. Storms prevailing all over the Eastern part of the country made it almost impossible for the officials to obtain a complete report from any of the federal districts and they confidently stated that they had not the slightest doubt that the minimum mark set at the beginning of the campaign would be completed in the final returns.

National Day For All. It was a day, a national day, for everyone. Washington had a half holiday, but the banks were open until late in the evening and there were Liberty Loan rallies in all parts of the city.

President Wilson's own subscription of \$15,000 aroused the greatest enthusiasm. It was his second—he had purchased a \$10,000 bond in the first loan. Almost upon the heels of this announcement came one that General Pershing's expeditionary force had purchased \$1,500,000 worth of bonds; that the various branches of the army had subscribed more than \$47,000,000 worth and the Red Cross \$500,000 worth. Up to the present only one of the federal districts has exceeded the amount subscribed in the last loan. Minneapolis has bought \$76,000,000 worth of bonds, \$6,000,000 more than she took before. All the others are behind.

Look For Spurt at Windup. New York is about \$450,000,000 behind her last purchase; Chicago, \$150,000,000 behind; Cleveland, \$90,000,000; Boston, \$120,000,000; Philadelphia, \$180,000,000; San Francisco, \$100,000,000; Richmond, \$30,000,000; Kansas City, \$60,000,000; St. Louis, \$30,000,000; Atlanta, \$40,000,000, and Dallas, \$30,000,000. But the officials are hoping and confidently expecting that all will take a great spurt in the windup. Figures will be coming in for two weeks and it was pointed out that even after the last loan closed, pessimistic persons were saying that the loan had not been subscribed when final figures showed it had been oversubscribed \$1,035,000,000.

NAVY TO RUN ARMY VESSELS

Bluejackets To Man All U. S. Transports Hereafter. Washington, Oct. 25.—Bluejackets will man and naval officers will command army transports hereafter. Officials believe this will insure more efficient operation of the ships, particularly in the war zone, where the strain on a crew is greatest and also lessen the risk of destruction by submarines. Decision to have the navy operate the transports is believed to have been hastened by the sinking of the transport Antilles, manned by civilians. It was pointed out that the highly trained naval forces are more effective than a constantly changing civilian personnel. This is regarded as particularly true of the fireroom force, upon which a ship's speed largely depends.

DEFEAT SEEN BY U. S. ENTRY

Turks Know They Are Beaten, Says Returned Consul. Washington, Oct. 25.—Most common people of Turkey hope for the defeat of Germany and were disappointed at the temporary failure of the British army in the Euphrates district. Dr. Otis A. Glazebrook, American consul at Jerusalem, said after a call on President Wilson. "The Turks know they are beaten, particularly since the entrance of the United States into the war," he said, "but I see no indication that Turkey is seeking a separate peace. The people of Turkey are very favorably inclined toward the United States."

To Round Up Loan Enemies.

Livingston, Mont., Oct. 25.—Charges that a systematic attempt is being made to defeat the second Liberty Loan in Park county, made by H. J. Miller, a four-minute man, who has been working in the interest of the loan throughout this section, are being investigated by the authorities. Miller declares that false statements regarding the loan are being circulated and that certain persons have been working among citizens attempting to dissuade them from buying bonds. A careful investigation will be made.

BROMLEY MESSAGE ON "AMUSEMENTS"

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who had been finally ensnared by the dance, was cited. "From this it was effectively shown that the attraction of the dance is almost purely sexual, that apart from that feature the dance would not exist, and that therefore leaving spiritual religion out of the case, fundamental moral principles alone condemn the dance at the very outset.

Of necessity the discourse was lengthy, but was of such a nature that it could not effectively be given in series. A wakeful audience, however, attested by its attitude that it was not asking for apologies. The great assemblage responded to a request for a show of hands that made the evangelist exclaim "look at that, will ye," when he asked how many had endorsed his sentiments.

Miss Cain concluded her series of Bible lessons on the Second and Premillennial Advent of Christ yesterday afternoon, the class giving substantial appreciation of the good they have accomplished. It is hoped to make this union Bible study permanent, though plans have not been definitely crystallized as yet.

The noon lectures have also been concluded, the last one being a masterly handling of the great theme of the resurrection of Christ. Both unitedly and individually the business men have pronounced this series one of the greatest features of the campaign, and one visiting minister has said that so important are these deeper subjects of theology in such a day that ministers who are able and yet fail to present these themes are either unbelieving as to their necessity or else culpably negligent of their first line trenches in the great religious controversies of the day.

Victim's Brother Slays Slayer.

Culbertson, Mont., Oct. 25.—Frank Stephens was shot and killed in a saloon here and his slayer, Walter Patch, was killed at his home by a posse of citizens. After Stephens had put Patch out of his saloon, Patch returned with a shot gun and shot Stephens. Stephens returned a volley, despite his wounds. Citizens then drove Patch to his home where he barricaded himself and defied the posse. Will Stephens, brother of the first victim, and Jack McCarthy forced an entrance and killed Patch.

NOTICE!

KAPLAN'S

To All Brainerd

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Fancy Concord Grapes, chock full basket \$.25
Oranges, per peck49
Fancy box Apples, per box 1.65
Jonathan Bulk Apples, per bushel basket 1.25
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TREASURY NOW IS HIVE OF INDUSTRY

CENTER OF NATION'S FINANCE IS BOTH A BUSY AND WELL-GUARDED PLACE.

CASUAL VISITOR IS BARRED

Frank A. Vanderlip, President of Great Bank, Is Hard at Work There Again, This Time as a Volunteer Liberty Loan Aid.

By EDWARD B. CLARK.

Washington.—It seems hardly possible that Andrew Jackson when he laid the corner stone of the United States treasury could have had any thought in the back of his head of the day when the building which soon was to spring before his eyes would be the hive of industry that it is today. The treasury is as whirling inside as the state, war and navy building, and when this is said it means "business."

The treasury is more than a treasury. It is not only the place where Uncle Sam keeps a large part of his hoards of gold, silver, and banknotes, but it is the place where means of "raising the wind" to meet every emergency of war and peace must be given thought. It is the very center of finance.

Even in times of peace the treasury always is heavily guarded, but then, nevertheless, it is possible in business hours to get into it through fifteen or twenty entrances. Today it can be entered by only one door, an inconspicuous little wicket gate affair on the Fifteenth street side. Visitors who are visitors for curiosity only are not admitted into this stronghold of finance today. If a man has business within the golden precincts he can get in, provided he proves his business point, establishes his identity and goes straight to the place designated.

Every newspaper correspondent who wishes to go to the treasury to secure news of Liberty Loan bonds, or customs receipts, or other things, must present the pass issued by the war department and which bears his photograph in an upper corner. The man at the gate assures himself that the face on the card corresponds with the face of the admission seeker.

Vanderlip Is Back There.

There are some strange faces in the treasury today and there are also some faces of men who once were employed there in a government capacity and who now have come back to volunteer their services to the government in its time of need. One of these men is Frank A. Vanderlip, president of the National City bank of New York.

When McKinley was president, Lyman J. Gage, secretary of the treasury, took Frank A. Vanderlip, who was a financial writer on a Chicago publication, to Washington as his private secretary. A little later he became an assistant secretary of the treasury. After his term of service was up,

went to New York where he since has been known as a high authority on finance.

Vanderlip today is working as a volunteer for the government. His office in the treasury building is none too light and none too commodious, but apparently it is not for a volunteer, who once was a newspaper man, to complain.

The special volunteer duty which Mr. Vanderlip is performing is that of helping in the direction of the Liberty Loan campaign. His long newspaper experience has made him a good publicity man, and publicity is necessary when Uncle Sam wants to put before the people the merits of his appeal for money. Add to his newspaper experience that of his study as a financier and the sum will make it known why Uncle Sam wanted Vanderlip as a volunteer.

Meets His Old Friends.

There are a few correspondents in Washington who knew Vanderlip when he was a newspaper reporter in Chicago, and there are many of them who knew him when he was an assistant secretary of the treasury. They drop in to see him when they can, to get news of the Liberty Loan campaign and also to engage in reminiscences of the old days.

One of the correspondents was a fellow reporter of Vanderlip on the Chicago Tribune a good many years ago. When Vanderlip had become president of one of the country's biggest banks the correspondent met him one morning on Broadway.

"Come round to my office and have a talk," said Vanderlip.

"All right," said his friend. These two men in their reportorial days had had desks side by side in a room in the old Tribune building in Chicago, a room somewhat dingy and very much crowded, affording accommodations as it did to the financial editor, the insurance editor, the railroad editor, the board of trade editor, the South Water street editor and the society editor.

On entering the beautiful Flemish oak-paneled private office in New York of the reporter-turned-bank-president, his old-time colleague looked about him, then dropped into a chair and said:

"Gee whiz, Van!" and Van said, "Yes, Gee whiz!"

One would not have to be at all venturesome to ask "Van" whether or not he does not look back on the room of crowded desks and crowded memories with a wish to be a youngster again, and "to be there again."

Ostrich Has Good Appetite.

The ostrich eats nearly as much as a cow. It is therefore no small matter to provide provender for hundreds of ostriches. They are extremely fond of green alfalfa and eat several pounds a day. They are also given large quantities of such vegetables as carrots, beets, turnips, etc. Their diet is carefully arranged as the result of many years' experience, so as to produce the sleekest, glossiest feathers. Moreover, the method of feeding and handling has increased the feather production of the birds very considerably.

PEACE BY CHRISTMAS

Will Come, Says Kerensky, If Russians Fight.

Begs For Enthusiasm of July Days That Defeat of Germans May Be Hurried.

Petrograd, Oct. 25.—Deploping the present demoralization of the Russian army in an emotional address to the preliminary parliament, Premier Kerensky appealed to the delegates to endeavor to arouse in the people the same sense of individual responsibility at the front and in the rear which carried the Russians to victory for a time in the post revolutionary offensive early in July.

"If only we could rekindle the enthusiasm of those July days in the heart of each man," he said, "we should have peace by Christmas, an honorable peace for free Russia, with the war fought to an honorable end."

The premier talked for an hour, running the gamut of emotions from despair to hope. He was applauded on all sides.

Fighting For Existence.

"We are not fighting for political ends, but for the very existence of Russia," he declared. "The army in the trenches seems to have lost the sense of duty and honor, although at some places it is filled with a new spirit. The batteries on Oesel island gave up without a struggle while the little Dago island forces fought bravely."

M. Kerensky defended the government against charges made by M. Markoff, radical, who blamed officers for the demoralization of the army and hinted at monarchial plots. He said the Korniloff revolt was not monarchial, but a mere attempt at a dictatorship, as also was the Bolshevik revolt of July.

"Peace has been postponed by the disintegration of the army by forces which are continuing the work of the old regime," he said.

Other ministers were subjected to a heavy fire of questions. General Verhovskiy, minister of war, said the front was not being helped by the rear and that no army could fight when it was hungry and cold.

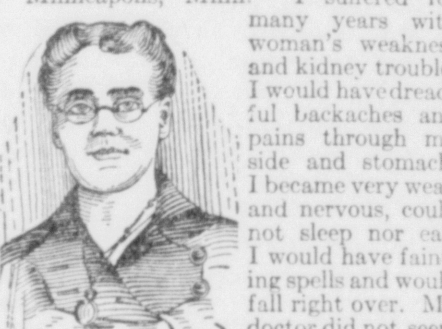
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